

PORT ARTHUR IS NOT TAKEN

London Dispatches Point Out the Impossibility of the Truth of the Report.

RUSSIA SHIPPING MORE TROOPS

Dispatches From Harbin State That Twenty Thousand Men Have Arrived There, But Many Are Sick and Unfit for Duty.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
London, March 22.—The sensational report that Port Arthur has fallen is not given credence in official quarters here. It is pointed out that the ice is still too thick for an attack on the land side or the landing of troops and that without a land force the fleet could not capture the city alone.

Arrived at Irkutsk
Irkutsk, March 22.—General Kuro-patkin, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces, has arrived here and left for Lake Balkal at once.

Rushing Troops
London, March 22.—The Home agent for the Times wires from Harbin that in the last forty days twenty thousand troops have arrived there. Of these four thousand have been sent to Now Chwang, Port Arthur and Mukden and two thousand to Vladivostok. The greater portion of the remainder are in hospitals here in a wretched condition. Only thirty-three military trains have reached Harbin since fighting began.

England Angry
Birmingham, March 22.—The Post asserts that the foreign office is collecting all the available evidence of the stopping of English vessels by Russian warships and is already corresponding with Russia regarding the matter.

England Active
London, March 22.—The activity of the Russian warships in the Mediterranean is exciting growing interest and irritation in England. The Russian fleet is causing serious interference and delay to all sorts of vessels mercantile and passenger, which are constantly being held up by the Dmitri Donoski.

Petersburg, March 22.—It is officially denied that Admiral Irenius, aboard the Russian cruiser Dmitri Donoski, has violated the terms of the international convention regarding the Suez Canal. No vessel has been stopped by that cruiser within three miles of the canal. Moreover no vessels has yet been captured in those regions.

Canea, Island of Crete, March 22.—The Russian battleship Orel, with Admiral Wrenius on board, sailed at 11:30 o'clock this morning for an unknown destination. Three torpedo boats followed the battleship. The Russian armored cruiser Dmitri Donoski arrived here this afternoon.

An Archbishop
St. Petersburg, March 22.—The Metropolitan Archbishop of St. Petersburg has sent an ikon to the torpedo boat Retvizny, which in the conflict of March 9 managed to elude the Japanese fleet. This ikon, it is believed, will safeguard the boat from further harm.

Partial Confirmation
Kobe, March 22.—A report reaches her which as yet has not been officially confirmed that the Japanese have effected a landing on the Liao Tung peninsula in the rear of Port Arthur. The landing it is said, was made Saturday night while the Japanese fleet kept up a vigorous bombardment of Port Arthur. The Japanese landing force is said to have comprised a full division and strong enough to withstand any efforts of the Russian force now on the peninsula to dislodge it.

According to the report other Japanese troops are being rushed to reinforce those already landed and it is expected there soon will be a force sufficient to completely invest Port Arthur and, it deemed advisable to take it by storm.

News Received in London
London, March 22.—The Telegraph published a Tokyo dispatch saying that a division landed on the Liao Tung peninsula Saturday and engaged the Russians and the Japanese fleet simultaneously bombarded the town and harbor. The action began at 6 o'clock Saturday evening and lasted until Sunday morning. Sixteen ships engaged in the attack, and the result is reported to have been the occupation of Port Arthur.

New Chwang in Fear
London, March 22.—The Japanese are expected to attack New Chwang on the Lia Tung gulf as their first extensive field operation. The ships of the Japanese have appeared at the mouth of the Lio river and scouting parties have been reconnoitering. One of the parties is reported as making a survey of the place. Germany, too, shares the belief that New Chwang is to be stormed. Warnings were given today by the German consul in that place that all Germans who remained in New Chwang did so at their own risk.

Alexieff to Stay
St. Petersburg, March 22.—Admiral Alexieff, the Russian minister of marine, denies that there is any intention of modifying the position of Admiral Alexieff in the far east. The admiral, he said, would continue personally to represent the czar. In fact, continued the minister, there is at present no intention of making

a change in the personnel of those chosen to conduct the war.

Attack Expected
The Japanese, he continued, are following line by line the tactics they pursued in the war with China, where they shelled Port Arthur from time to time while they landed troops on Korean soil. He claimed that Russia now expects them to attempt a landing near Port Arthur and a land and sea attack on that fort. The admiral stated that he expects the precautions taken by the commanding officers to prove completely successful, even though the attempt to isolate Port Arthur should eventually be successful.

An Early Report

Tokio, March 22.—After more than twelve hours' desperate fighting, Port Arthur has fallen to the Japanese, being occupied by the Mikado's forces on Sunday.

This, the supreme end for which Japan has striven since the outbreak of the war, was the result of a combined land and sea attack which began Saturday evening and was not ended until late Sunday morning.

The news came to Tokyo through a newspaper which published the story, meager as to details, but containing the main facts. The well known policy of the government in refusing to allow newspapers to publish stories of battles until they are officially verified is taken by the city to mean that an official report has been received, probably by wireless telegraphy to Wei Hai Wei and thence by land, line and cable to this city.

Lacks Confirmation
The rejoicing here is intense, and the city is in a fever. But, despite the report, no official confirmation of the news has been issued by the government.

That the battle was hard fought on both sides is evident, though no account of the losses is given, other than that they were large.

A division of Japanese troops landed Saturday afternoon on the Liao Tung peninsula in the rear of Port Arthur. At a preconcerted time an attack was made on the Russian forces near Port Arthur, and it is believed that many of the soldiers in the garrison were hurried to reinforce the Russians already engaged.

Togo's Squadron Takes Part
Then Admiral Togo's squadron approached and began to bombard from a long distance, gradually drawing nearer. The crippled Russian squadron answered as well as it could, the Retvizan, as has been usual during the later attacks, acting as a land battery from her position on the rocks.

Details of the crowning triumph are not given. Beyond the bare statement that the city was invested Sunday, nothing further is said.

Another desperate battle, this one on the banks of the Yalu, thirty miles northeast of Wijn, is also reported. In this fight 600 Russians are said to have been killed or wounded, with a complete victory for the Japanese.

ROUT RUSSIAN FORCES.

Japanese Cross Tatung Pass, Compelling Czar's Men to Retreat.

Shanghai, March 22.—Several train loads of Russian wounded have passed Ta Shi Chiao on their way to the hospital at Liao Yang.

It is evident that a desperate battle has taken place, probably in northern Corea or southern Manchuria, but, at any rate, some place along the Yalu. The Russian officers accompanying the wounded men will say nothing concerning a battle, and most of the men are too badly hurt to be talked to about it.

Reports have been received here that an action took place near the Tatung pass, that the Japanese crossed, and that the Russians were forced to retreat with a heavy loss. This would leave the way open for a Japanese advance on Motien Ling, now occupied in force by the Russians.

London is Skeptical.
London, March 22.—Reports have been received here of the fall of Port Arthur, but they are accepted with reserve. The reports declare the attack to have been successful Sunday morning, after an all night bombardment of the fortress both from sea and land.

W. L. Parmelee, United States marshal from Ansonia, Conn., ended a long chase in Kenosha when he arrested Julius Mogolia, wanted on a charge of fraud.



THOSE SPRING FLOODS.

CAMBRIDGE WAS HONORED TODAY

Duke Was Buried with All Honors by the Nobility of England.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
London, March 22.—The funeral of the Grand Duke Cambridge, the aged cousin of the late Queen Victoria, was held at Westminster Abbey this morning and the interment was at Kensal Green cemetery. In addition to the king and queen and other members of the royal family a large number of nobles were present.

COMBES WILL NOT LEAVE MINISTRY

Denies the Report That He Will Resign Because of Cabinet Reverses.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
Paris, March 22.—Prime Minister Combes announces he will not resign from the premiership because of recent reverses in the cabinet.

SULLY HAS GONE INTO BANKRUPTCY

Former Cotton King Files Petition of Voluntary Bankruptcy.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
New York, March 22.—The firm of D. J. Sully & Co. went into involuntary bankruptcy this morning. The petition of the creditors was granted by Judge Holt, who appointed David H. Miller and Henry Taft receivers with bonds of \$250,000 each.

THE B. & O. HAS A STRIKE COMING

Telegraph Operators Decide to Stick by Their Demands for an Increase.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
Newark, O., March 22.—The B. & O. telegraph operators have voted by a ratio of five to one to demand an increase in wages. Officers of the union have gone to Baltimore to present the claims of the men.

MATTHEWS FOUND TO BE INNOCENT

Noile Prosser Entered in the Suit Against Him in Missouri Courts Today.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
Jefferson City, March 22.—The case of Senator Matthews, indicted for bribery in connection with the Alton case today by Judge Graves. The case had been tried previously but the jury hung. The case against Senator Frank Farris was continued.

The Rev. John Schneider of Appleton has accepted a unanimous call from the Cotton Street Methodist Episcopal church of Fond du Lac.

STATE PRISON IS MILD PUNISHMENT

Madison Man Deserts His Wife for a Young Girl—Captured and Convicted.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
Madison, Wis., March 22.—With the sentence of one year in the state prison at Waupun, the maximum under the law, imposed by Judge Donovan of the municipal court yesterday upon Edward Lawler for deserting and abandoning his sick wife and four children in the village of Mazomanie, the curtain was rung down upon the final scene in a domestic tragedy involving the ruin of two families. "It is only because the law does not permit me to inflict greater punishment that I send you to prison for one year," said the judge in passing sentence, "and I wish to say that in my experience on the bench of this court no more aggravated case of the kind has come to my notice and no circumstances arisen wherein I have felt more like imposing the extreme penalty than I do upon you for your brazen admission of a cruel, heartless crime."

During February Lawler abandoned his wife and family for a 16-year-old girl named Alice Pesch with whom he left on a trip through Minnesota, Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa and Illinois. They passed as man and wife under the name of J. C. Hood. Lawler was apprehended in Savanna, Illinois, and the girl in Chicago. The man, on the request of his wife, was not charged with the most serious crime for wife abduction. He at first pleaded not guilty but afterward changed it to guilty. He was sentenced as stated. The girl was charged with fornication and she also pleaded guilty. She was sent to the Industrial School for Girls at Milwaukee until she is 21 years of age. Lawler was 26 years of age and a member of the railroad brotherhood. A reward was paid for his capture. Both participants of the escapade are members of families bearing good reputation and two mothers, several sisters and others are heartbroken.

KNOX SAYS THAT ALL IS READY

The Transfer of the Panama Canal Company's Property Will Be Consummated Soon.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
Washington, March 22.—Attorney General Knox announced this afternoon that there had been no hitch in the arrangements for the transfer of the Panama canal property to the United States. Assistants Day and Russell leave for Paris tomorrow to complete the details. The newly organized Panama commission met today for the first time. Later they were entertained by the president at luncheon. They will sail for the Isthmus on March 29th.

Children Play Anarchist.
Madrid, March 22.—A number of children organized a mock anarchistic demonstration at Grazelema during the funeral of a playmate.

Workmen Are Killed.
Moscow, March 22.—The basement of an engineering establishment collapsed here and three workmen were killed and fifty injured.

MITCHELL SAYS HE WILL NOT RUN

Rumor That He Would Be Second to Hearst Is Denied by Labor Leader.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
Indianapolis, March 22.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers' union, said today that there was no truth in the report that he would be second on the ticket that William Hearst headed. He said he did not care for political office and would not accept one if it was offered him.

RUMOR THAT CZAR WAS ASSASSINATED

Is Heard in Few York, But No Report Comes From London Thus Far.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
New York, March 22.—There is a rumor prevalent on change that the czar of Russia had been assassinated but London on inquiry replied that it had not heard the report.

POPE WILL LOOK TO THE CLAIMS

Has Appointed a Commission to Investigate Claims for Damages to Families of Priests.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
Rome, March 22.—The pope has ordered Archbishop Guidi, the apostolic delegate to the Philippines, to investigate the claims of the families of the priests who claim that the priests were badly treated by the American soldiers.

CORPORATIONS NEED NOT PAY STATE TAXES

Supreme Court Holds That It Involves Attempt to Tax Property Beyond Commonwealth's Jurisdiction.

Washington, March 22.—Justice Holmes of the Supreme court of the United States delivered the opinion of that court in the case of James C. Fargo, president of the American Express company, vs. William H. Hart, auditor of the state of Indiana, reversing the decree of the Circuit court for the district of Indiana.

The case involved the Indiana law of 1893, providing for the taxation of express companies, telegraph companies, etc., the operation of which the express company resisted on the ground that the effect of it was to tax the outside property of the company. The Circuit court upheld the state authorities. The opinion of the Supreme court was based on the ground that the system of taxation proposed is an interference with interstate commerce.

"It involved an attempt," Justice Holmes said, "to tax property beyond the jurisdiction of the state and to throw an unconstitutional burden on commerce among the states." The chief justice and Justices Brewer and Day dissented.

FLOOD RAGES IN THE LINE CITY

Thompson's Factory Burns to the Ground—Three Hundred Homes Ruined.

LOSS IS A QUARTER OF A MILLION

Beloit Is Under Water—Flood Reaches to the Goodwin House—Merchants' Cellars Are Now Under Water.

(Special to The Gazette.)
Beloit, March 22.—Turtle creek is on the greatest rampage that it has ever been and the city more resembles a frog pond than a civilized community. Thompson's factory is burned to the ground and three hundred residents of South Beloit have been taken from their homes by the rising waters. The main streets of the city are under water, side tracks are washed out and merchants are standing helpless while the waters are filling their cellars and ruining thousands of dollars worth of stock. Never since 1881 has the city been in such grave danger. It is estimated that at the present time the damage will amount to two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, with a possibility of its increasing. No lives have been lost thus far although several narrow escapes are recorded.

Flooding Streets
At nine o'clock this morning Turtle creek had flooded hundreds of acres of lowlands and had swept down Broad and Main streets into the business district of the city. At the intersection of Broad and Main streets the water was three feet deep and the flood almost reached to the Goodwin house corner. An ice gorge had formed in the creek and this had broken and swept away bridges, outbuildings and all moveable property. South Beloit is many feet under water and for rods the sidetracks to the different factories are completely washed out.

Using Boats
Three hundred families from that section of the city are homeless and were taken from the roofs and second stories of their homes by rowing.

Business Men Powerless
The entire business district is in danger and it is feared that if the water rise much higher that the loss will reach a half-million. Business men are compelled to stand idly by and see their valuable stocks damaged by the rising waters without being able to do anything to stop the loss. In fact, the situation is about as bad as it was in 1881 when the loss was as large. Interurban connection with Rockford and all train communication with Janesville is out of the question.

TOWN IS WRECKED BY TORNADO
Hail and Wind Level Fifty Buildings in Higginsville, Mo.

Higginsville, Mo., March 22.—Fifty buildings are partly wrecked, one man is mortally wounded and several others hurt, the town is in darkness and the streets strewn with debris as the result of a tornado and hailstorm which struck this place Monday afternoon. The hail on the streets was a foot deep within five minutes after the storm came. The mortally wounded man is John Hotzen. The financial loss is said to be \$40,000. Two other towns in this section were in the path of the storm and are said to be considerably damaged. They are Cordor and Alma.

Maryland Bank Falls.
Cumberland, Md., March 22.—Receivers have been appointed for the Miners and Merchants' Saving bank of Lonaconing, which has \$300,000 on deposit. Its failure being consequent upon that of the City Trust and Banking company of Baltimore, which organized the Lonaconing institution.

Gomper's Returns Home.
New York, March 22.—Samuel Gomper, president of the American Federation of Labor, who went to Porto Rico with the intention of organizing the laboring men on the island, was among the returning passengers on the steamer Ponce.

Harvester Warehouse Is Burned.
East St. Louis, Ill., March 22.—The Deering Harvesting Machine company's warehouse, filled with farm machinery and twine, was destroyed by fire, the loss being estimated at \$150,000, partially insured.

Plaza Dines With Sampson.
Cunayquill, March 22.—United States Minister Sampson gave a banquet at Quito to President Plaza and his cabinet, the members of the diplomatic corps and high government officials.

Russian Predicts Revolt.
St. Louis, Mo., March 22.—Capt. Alexis Gregorin of Caucasus, Russia, who is bringing a troupe of Cossacks for the World's fair, says Russia's laboring classes are near revolt.

Organize Against Uprising.
Rome, March 22.—A report from Gen. Degorjans states that he thinks the gendarmerie of the Balkans will be so organized as to prevent any general rising in Macedonia.

Steamers Collide in a Fog.
Holyhead, Wales, March 22.—The American Lino steamer Merian collided with the steamer Clan Grant in a fog. The Grant was struck amidship and seriously damaged.

Death of Kentucky Banker.
Bowling Green, Ky., March 22.—Col. Thomas J. Smith, banker, merchant, financier and commander of the Third Kentucky regiment, is dead.

Average Sunshine.
Spain has an average of 3,000 hours of sunshine a year, against only 1,400 in England.

BURGLARS ENTER T. MADDEN'S PLACE

Gain an Entrance Through a Side Window—Ten Dollars, and Some Goods Taken.

When Thomas Madden opened his place of business this morning at 402 Pleasant street he found that thieves had gained an entrance through one of the side windows and tapped the cash drawer for \$10 and had taken their fill of choice liquors and cigars.

Break Side Window
An entrance was gained through one of the side windows which the thieves broke, and entered the front part of the saloon, tapping the money drawer for some \$10 in change, and also helped themselves to other goods in the place in the line of whiskies and wines.

Happened About 4 O'clock
Mr. Madden in speaking of the robbery today said that the place must have been entered this morning at about 4 o'clock as there were fresh tracks on the floors in the building when he opened his place of business this morning.

AGGIE TO VISIT THE EXPOSITION

Former Rebel Leader of the Philippines to Study the American People.

(Special by Scripps-Mellie.)
Washington, March 22.—According to information received here Emilio Aguinaldo, the former head of the Filipino republic, expects to visit the St. Louis fair. His intention is to make a grand tour of the country to study the American people and institutions.

COMMITTEE PAID A VISIT HERE

Racine Board of Supervisors Inspected the County Asylum This Morning.

The second thunder storm for 1904 for Janesville—the first took place on March 2—arrived last night. It was accompanied by fog and interfered seriously with traffic. All of the streets were converted into rivers by the heavy rain, which hastened the melting of accumulations of snow. Sewers were choked and in many places the water overflowed the sidewalks from the gutters. Electric lights flickered dimly. It was with difficulty that motormen of the street cars made headway through the fog, the car lights serving to light up the track but for a short distance. This lack of light, combined with the fog, led many pedestrians into pools of water against which rubbers were no protection.

COUNTY NEWS

ROCK RIVER.

Rock River, March 20.—Inez Brightman visited Janesville friends for a few days this week.

Miss Cross of Janesville was a visitor at W. A. Paul's a part of last week.

The C. E. society will hold an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vincent next Saturday evening, March 26. All invited to attend.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. N. M. Rose Tuesday, April 5. All invited to come at 10 a. m.

Lee Van Horn and family of Milton Junction have moved into Marion Rose's house for the summer.

Charles Spitters family are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy.

Carl Baillie and family moved to their new home in Edgerton last Thursday. August Weiland will work Mr. Baillie's farm.

Ed. Burdick's people visited at Charles Haskings last Saturday.

Henry Pierce had a lively run away when coming from the Junction last Wednesday. The sleight was overturned, throwing Mrs. Pierce out, but luckily no one was seriously hurt.

Harry Swader and family have rented a house at Milton Junction and will move there soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pence of Jackson Center, Ill., came last week to live on Henry Swaders farm for the coming year.

Mrs. Doran of Milton Junction visited her brother, C. D. Balches, a part of last week.

All report a fine time at the Ladies Society at Mrs. Balches last Thursday.

MILTON.

Milton, March 22.—L. T. Thomas, who came here from St. Paul recently, has bought a piece of land from D. P. McWilliams and intends to build a residence thereon. He is about to embark in a new business for the locality, that of breeding pigeons for the market. He has given the matter careful study and thinks it will prove profitable as there is a large demand for squabs. He will proceed with the erection of the buildings this spring.

The funeral of the late Alva A. Brown took place from his late residence Saturday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Platts, officiating.

Saints had no advantage over sinners, as to their earthly footing Monday morning.

Prof. A. E. Whitford and Miss Grace Spaulding attended the funeral of Mrs. Whitford at Appleton Friday.

A. O. Gifford of Fulton was in town Friday.

Prof. J. F. Whitford and wife, of Williams Bay, are in town enjoying a two week's vacation.

Editor Davis and wife returned from du Lac Friday, where they attended the meeting of the Wisconsin Press Association.

Mrs. J. Carl Penn of Monroe, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Holmes.

H. F. Smith has been confined to the house with an attack of la grippe for several days.

C. E. Davis was called to his home at Humboldt, Neb., Friday, by a message announcing a death in the family.

Elmer Brown arrived from Bethel, N. D., Saturday, to attend the funeral of his father.

Lynnae Hendricks of Boone, Ia., arrived in town Friday, being called here by the illness of his mother, Mrs. C. S. Reynolds.

Sadie Carlson has been quite ill with an attack of la grippe, but is better.

The College Trustees are equipping the main building with fire escapes, a necessary improvement long needed.

KOSHKONONG.

Koshkonong, March 21.—Miss Lottie Bogle visited with relatives in Watertown last week.

Miss Gertrude Clark spent last week with Miss Minnie Edwards of Magnolia.

Miss Carrie Bassett visited over Sunday of last week at the Killam home near the Six Corners.

Miss Mabel Lynd spent last Saturday and Sunday with her friend Miss Bessie Crandall of Harmony.

The Rev. J. H. Tippet of Janesville preached at the Otter Creek church Sunday afternoon to a good sized audience.

Miss Clara Barnhart of Milton spent Sunday at the home of her brother, George.

August Zabell spent Wednesday at

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the home of his brother near Helens-

ville. Mrs. Alex. Shuman and little daughter of Milton spent a few days of last week with the family of Frank Shuman.

T. D. Bassett has been sick with grip but is now better.

Mrs. Paynter and two sons of Lima visited at Mrs. S. Ward's Friday.

Miss Mabel West closed a very successful term of school in the Otter Creek district Friday. Several visitors were present to listen to the program given in the afternoon. The singing recitations and dialogues by the pupils showed much practice and training and that the teacher understands her work. The spring term will open Monday April 4.

The young people of this locality will give a concert and entertainment at the Otter Creek church Saturday evening, April 2. Vocal and instrumental music, recitations and dialogues will form part of the entertainment, also selections from the gramophone. The concert will be under the able management of Herbert Tobin's son, assisted by Miss Mabel Ward and Mrs. Doris Barnhart. Proceeds for the Sunday school. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Mr. Joseph Crause entertained a party of his friends and neighbors Saturday evening in honor of his birthday.

Remember the concert at the church Saturday evening, April 2, for the benefit of the Sabbath school. Admission 15 cents, children 10 cents.

HARMONY.

Harmony, March 21.—Mr. R. T. Howard died Wednesday, March 16, after a short illness of pneumonia, contracted while in Madison to attend the funeral of his brother, Rush Spencer Howard was born near Cottage Grove, Wis., in the year 1847. His father died when he was eight years of age and he came to Harmony to live with his uncle, David D. Wood. His life has been nearly all spent in this state, with the exception of a few years in Iowa. He was married in 1866 to Phyllis Childs. They have had a family of seven children, six of whom are living. Mrs. E. L. Bingham, Mrs. Geo. Brem, Mrs. W. D. McComb, of Lima, and John Howard of Milton, Daniel and Frank who are the only ones left at home. The youngest daughter, Ora died five years ago. Out of a family of six brothers and sisters, only two are left: Mrs. H. A. Howard of Zimalek, Minnesota, and Mrs. J. W. Bales of Detroit, Michigan. Mr. Howard was converted when about nineteen years of age, and joined the Free Baptist church of North Johnston. After returning from Iowa they severed their connection there and joined the Congregational church of Milton, of which he was a member. During the last two years Mr. Howard was trustee and treasurer of the Congregational church. He was respected and honored by all who knew him. The funeral service was held at his home in Harmony Friday afternoon. A large number of friends and neighbors gathered at these services to pay their token of respect to an honored friend. Burial was in the Milton cemetery. The services were conducted by Mr. Howard's pastor, Rev. A. L. McClelland.

ALLEN GROVE.

Allen Grove, March 20.—Chas. Hawley of Manitowish, Mich., came out Tuesday for a few days visit.

Mrs. Welsh of Shiocton visited her sister, Mrs. Hall, on Wednesday.

An evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Miner. A general good time was had by all.

Mr. Sharpe returned from Milwaukee the latter part of the week.

Henry Carter returned Monday from a week's visit among Antigo friends.

F. Niskern and Chas. Joslin took in the Beloit sale on Wednesday.

Miss Iva Niskern of Clinton spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Mary McKay of Chicago is taking care of her grandmother, Mrs. J. Wilcox, who is ill.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. F. Neek.

Miss Hattie Woodward is entertaining the gripple.

Mrs. Chas. Langdon and cousin, Miss Bessie, went to Delavan one day last week.

Mr. Walter Price visited his parents at Bristol from Friday until Monday.

JANESVILLE.

Janesville, March 21.—This is the first day of spring according to the almanac.

School in district No. 5, will close Friday, March 25, for a short vacation.

The auction sale on the Donahue farm last Friday was well attended.

B. Davis and wife spent Sunday with friends in the city.

August Wilkie was a caller at the home of his sister, Mrs. Chas. Bennett, Sunday.

C. W. Schwartz of the transfer line from the city came out Friday and moved the piano from the Turnball farm to their new home near the city.

An auction will be held on the Denett farm Monday March 28.

O. J. Wells and family expect to start for their new home in Michigan soon.

Walter Dalton and wife and little son spent Sunday with John Little and family.

Harry Yardick was an over Sunday visitor at the home of Mrs. Sarah Little.

Chas. Bennett was in the town of Center Sunday.

W. S. Little lost a valuable cow recently.

FOOTVILLE.

Footville March 21.—Dr. H. R. Bay of Cottage Grove was an over Sunday visitor.

Owen & Pepper warehouse is running with a full force.

Considerable damage is being done in the neighborhood by the freshet. Several bridges are washed away.

There will be an Epworth League Rally at the M. E. church next Saturday and Sunday. An interesting pro-

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It is reported that Mr. D. V. Wright formerly of this place but now of Evansville is married the bride being from Ohio.

Mr. A. J. Snyder was an Evansville visitor the first of the week.

We are pleased to learn of Earnest Parmleys rapid improvement from his late illness.

Mrs. Mary Pepper who is very low with pneumonia at the home of her nephew, H. F. Pepper, suffered a stroke of paralysis on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Saguin lectured Sunday evening at the Christian church. Mrs. Saguin lectured Monday afternoon at the M. E. church to the ladies and Mr. Saguin lectured Monday evening at the Christian church to the men.

LIMA CENTER.

Lima Center, March 21.—According to the almanac it is spring now.

Mrs. Frank Shannon and baby are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Boyd.

Mrs. Ella Elphick and Ruth Smith are down with grip.

Ethel Stetson came from Beloit Sunday for a two weeks stay.

Mrs. M. A. Gould and grand daughter, Mina, spent Saturday in White-water.

Mrs. Frank Kyle has scarlet fever. Martin Gould has let the contract for his new house.

Mr. Gleason visited his daughter Ethel in Walworth Friday.

Ralph Collins of North Lima visited relatives in Lima last week.

John Waldman and family were out of town Sunday.

Frank Brown is at home with grip.

HANOVER.

Hanover, March 21.—Mrs. Emma Selmore who has been sick is able to be out again.

Remember the town caucus Tuesday, March 29, for the nomination of the town officers.

The water reached the high water mark Saturday afternoon. It would have washed out the St. Paul track if the Janesville section foreman had not kept dirt up against the track. It did a little damage to the grading by the red bridge.

Miss Schraeder was a Janesville caller Thursday.

Mr. Fred Ward of Stoughton is visiting with George Haight Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Selmore of Afton were callers here Friday.

Harve Dearhammer of Plymouth was here Friday.

L. A. Babcock of Janesville was a business caller here Saturday.

Ed. Pyburn was a Janesville visitor Saturday.

Miss Selmore spent Sunday in Janesville.

John Sheehan drove to Janesville Saturday.

Phil Ohlweiler of Janesville was a Sunday caller at the Hanover House.

Mr. and Mrs. Berges and family spent Sunday in the Bower City.

E. B. Hoover of Orfordville was a caller here Sunday.

Miss Emma and Mr. Lewis Johnson of Beloit spent Sunday in Hanover.

There was church Sunday night in the German Lutheran church.

Ernest Damerow returned to his work at Orford Monday.

EMERALD GROVE.

Emerald Grove, March 21.—The L. A. will meet with Mrs. Davidson on Thursday, March 24. Everybody is invited. Picnic dinner.

Mr. Fitch is entertaining his brother-in-law, Mr. Rec.

The Emerald Grove and Smithton Mystics will be entertained by Mrs. Bunker and Mrs. J. Waugh on Friday evening, March 25, at the home of Mrs. Waugh.

A little girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson on Tuesday and a little boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gib Larson's on Thursday last week.

The Mystics spent a very pleasant evening at E. C. Ransom's Thursday evening.

Selah Chambers has returned from New York state and may be found behind the counter at Kilan's meat market.

EDGERTON.

Edgerton, March 21.—Mrs. Fred Wyman and son of Madison are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wyman.

The public library has been moved to its new quarters in the building lately occupied by H. R. Lidecker.

Miss Marjorie Green left Tuesday morning for Texas where she expects to remain some time with an aunt.

Thos. Porter has been engaged as sexton of the Fasset cemetery.

A car load of horses were brought from South Dakota this week by Oscar Lintved to be sold here.

Miss Susan Mathews attended the funeral of Rev. Richards at Richland Center the first of the week.

John White has been confined to his home the last few days by illness.

Mrs. Mark Shackleton of Beloit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John White.

Miss Ida Doty was up from Janesville to spend Sunday.

E. S. Lord arrived Saturday from St. Louis, and expects to make his home here for a time at least.

Fred Brown is quite ill at the home of his brother, Frank, and it is feared pneumonia will be the result.

Mrs. M. Haskins has sold her millinery business to Miss Johnson of Fort Atkinson and Miss Long of Juncos. Miss Roach of Milwaukee is in charge. They expect to hold an opening soon.

The five-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Will lived last Friday after a short illness. The funeral was held from the home Sunday and the remains taken to Milton for burial.

The German play "Der Nefte als Onkel" was given at Royal hall Saturday evening by the high school pupils and was pronounced very good by those who could understand. A synopsis of the play was printed in English so that those who were not German could readily follow the story.

Mrs. Thaddeus Cook, an early settler of this vicinity, died of heart trouble Wednesday evening at the home of her son, Frank, at Cook's Corners. She was 69 years of age. She leaves besides the son, two brothers, George and John White of this place and two sisters, Mrs. Spence of this city and Mrs. Mary Denmore of Vermont. Funeral services were held from her home in this city Saturday afternoon.

COOKSVILLE.

Cooksville, March 21.—Wm. Denison of Jug Prairie was a caller on Sunday.

Miss Belle Rice spent several days of the past week at Evansville.

Miss Ella Morgan spent Saturday at Stoughton.

Mrs. Hattie Porter went to Janesville on Saturday where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller attended the wedding of a cousin, Miss Jessie Collins to Frank Moore which took place at Stoughton on Wednesday evening, March 16.

Mr. Ezra Stoneburner and wife have been suffering with the gripple the past week.

The dance at this place on St. Patrick's night drew an unusually large crowd.

School commenced on Monday with Miss Belle Denison as teacher.

Miss Lillian Newman who has been visiting relatives for about a month expects to return to Janesville today.

Several of the farmers in this vicinity delivered their tobacco last week.

UNION.

Union, March 21.—Mr. Ward Pierce business last Tuesday.

Blanche Davis and Mr. Rosa were up at their house.

Mr. G. Vaughn of Lansing, Minn., are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Addie Franklin spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Martin Bonyon with her mother, Mrs. Martin Bonyon last Saturday.

Mr. Frost celebrated his 66th birthday March 18. His sister made him a birthday party at her home in Evansville.

Mr. Halverson took a load of straw to Stoughton last Wednesday.

Maud and Lyman, entertained a sleighing party last week from Evansville.

Mabel Champony visited Daisy Wall Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Beck, nee Edna Berry, and husband of Milwaukee visited Mrs. Martin Bonyon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Deveral spent Sunday at John Walls.

BRODHEAD.

Brodhead, March 21.—Mr. Frank Ten Eyck, who has been attending the Agricultural College at Manhattan, Kan., during the winter came home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cronk are now at El Paso, Texas. The climate there seems to suit Mr. Cronk and they will remain there for some time at least.

Mrs. L. W. Terry left for Janesville Saturday, where she visited with friends Monday, when she went to Chicago to purchase new spring goods.

Mr. Fred Smith was home from Chicago Saturday evening and spent Sunday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Smith.

Miss Kate Mulvihill of Milwaukee arrived here Wednesday evening to remain for some time with her sister, Mrs. Anton Durner.

Miss Bertha Bucher left Thursday morning for Freeport and in about a week will go to Dixon, Ill., where she will take a commercial course.

Mr. T. G. Stone has sufficiently regained his strength so that he was able to leave Thursday morning with his family for Waterloo, Wis. where their old home, where they will visit for a week or two while recuperating.

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EAST CENTER.

East Center, March 21.—Quite a number from this vicinity attended the sale east of Janesville Saturday.

Charles Crall left family spent Sunday in the city.

The last thaw enabled some of the farmers to get down a little of their tobacco. Charles Crall is one of the fortunate ones to be through stripping and to sell.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Brown spent Sunday at their uncle's Mr. David Yeomans.

Miss Marion Papple is spending Saturday and Sunday at home. She is attending High school in Janesville.

Seth Crall hauled corn from the Cleland farm Friday.

International Association of Railway Clerks meets first Thursday in Beloit and third Thursday in Janesville.

Interior Freight Handlers and Warehouse Men's International Union No. 57 meets first and third Mondays of each month at the Caledonian hall, Carle block.

Knights of Columbus.—1st and 3rd Thursday.

Peoples' Lodge, No. 460, I. O. G. W.—Every 2nd Friday.

Bower City Verein, No. 31, Germania Unternehmungen Verein.—3rd Friday.

Janesville Council, No. 108, U. C. T.—1st and 3rd Saturday.

Janesville Assembly of Equitable Fraternity Union, No. 171, meets the first and third Mondays of each month at the Caledonian hall, Carle block.

Labor Organizations.

Journeyman Barbers' Union.—1st Monday.

Painters, Paperhangers & Decorators Union.—1st and 3rd Monday.

Journeyman Tailors' Union.—2nd Monday.

Leather Workers.

Brewers' Union.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.

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Alderman for two years—W. H. Merrill.
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Supervisor—W. F. Carle.
Constable—G. H. Brudge.
Second Ward
Alderman—J. J. Comstock.
Supervisor—H. D. Skavlem.
School Com.—E. B. Hedstrom.
Constable—A. K. Cutts.
Third Ward
Alderman—Frank H. Jackman.
Supervisor—B. D. McGowan.
Constable—Wallace Cochran.
Fourth Ward
Alderman—W. H. H. Macleoon.
Supervisor—Fred P. Grove.
School Com.—A. L. Hemmens.
Constable—Miles Cox.
Fifth Ward
Alderman—Charles Warren.
Supervisor—C. E. Snyder.
Constable—Fred Jeffris.

THE THIRD TERM.

If there is any reason why Governor La Follette should be nominated to succeed himself, it has not yet been stated. The manifesto issued by Hoard, Stevenson, et al. is not at all conclusive and is the subject of much adverse criticism.

Boiled down to its final analysis it amounts to this and nothing more. "Harmony" is not desirable. The people are not competent to govern themselves. There is only one man in the state who possesses the ability and high moral character to lead them, and that man is the present governor, R. M. La Follette.

This, in a nut shell, is all the argument that the call contains, and it is altogether too flimsy to command the attention of thoughtful people.

There are many reasons why the present incumbent should not be re-nominated. In the first place he is a third term candidate, and this in itself should defeat his ambitions. More important still his administration has been a failure. It is principally noted for extravagances and profligacy of office, and his reform measures are so tainted with personal ambition that they are already a by word.

It may not occur to the governor or his supporters that party harmony is more desirable at the present time than anything else, and that is practically the only issue.

The party has been rent in twain for the past four years, and every one knows that one man, and only one, is responsible for these conditions. To continue this man in office is not only suicidal to the party but a burlesque to the state.

The reforms that he has forced upon the people, have been cunningly devised and as cleverly executed but they are simply incidental to personal ambition. It remains for the people to say whether or not they want a primary law, and the same tribunal will determine through representatives whom they may select whether or not a freight rate commission is desirable for the state.

The state of Wisconsin has long been noted for conservatism. It has never been carried away by bubbles, and theorists or theoretical reformers have never been able to gain a hearing or foot hold, until the governor appeared on the scene, and through appeals to prejudice and ignorance captivated the masses. He has been the governor of a class

and people who have not been in sympathy with his theories have long since learned that the executive chamber was a place where their presence was regarded as an intrusion.

It is time that the state has a governor who can be approached by all classes and a man who cares more for the people than for himself. This state convention to be held in May will determine whether a majority of the republican voters favor the third term and anti-harmony movement, or whether they care more for peace and more conservative leadership.

THE SITUATION.

The only change in the city situation is in the fact that a number of candidates decline to run on the democratic ticket, and W. H. H. Macleoon also declines the nomination for alderman by the republicans of the Fourth ward. This vacancy will doubtless be filled by the city committee by placing the name of Fred H. Sheldon on the ticket.

Mr. Sheldon is an enthusiastic republican and is well known as one of Janesville's enterprising young business men. He will add strength to the ticket, and the committee is fortunate in securing him as a candidate. The republican ticket is now complete and it presents a list of names that the tax payers should be glad to elect to office. While not sailing under a reform banner, these men will see to it that the business methods already established will be maintained.

You will make no mistake in voting the republican ticket straight.

SENATOR WHITEHEAD.

While the Gazette has no authority to speak for Senator Whitehead, the paper will take the responsibility of saying that he will be the next senator from Rock county. The sentiment so far as expressed is very strongly in his favor not only in the city where he is so well known, but also throughout the county.

Senator Whitehead is recognized throughout the state as a conservative consistent leader. The kind of a man that is needed in the senate, especially in these days when conservatism is at a discount. He is mentally and morally strong as people have had occasion to find out who have come in close contact with him.

He stands for the best there is in government, and is unmovable when convinced that he is right. The business men of Janesville as well as of the state have confidence in his judgment and ability and the man is yet to be found who questions his integrity. The community is fortunate in having such a man as a representative and the republican voters will not be slow in expressing appreciations.

FOR THE ASSEMBLY.

While it may be a little early to discuss candidates for the Assembly yet it is no more than fair for the people to know that the name of Captain Pliny Norcross as being freely used in connection with the nomination on the republican ticket.

Captain Norcross has lived in Janesville so long and has been so closely identified with its business interests that an introduction is not necessary. If he will consent to serve as an assemblyman, the district will be assured of loyal, intelligent service. He combines with personal popularity all the qualities necessary for a good representative, and while the field is open to other candidates, the people will make no mistake in supporting Capt. Norcross if he will consent to be a candidate.

If there is any good reason why the governor should be elected to represent the state at the republican national convention, it has not been stated. He has industriously travelled over the state misrepresenting it for the past year, and the people are under no obligations to him.

Senator Spooner and Quarles should be at the head of the state delegation. Senator Whitehead is also entitled to a place on the delegation. No man in the state has made more sacrifices for the part than the Rock county senator.

The scramble to get on the governor's petition is so great at Madison that it is said to be interfering with the work of cleaning up the fire rubbish at the statehouse. With an army of game wardens on tap, these conditions are a little surprising.

There is a limit to endurance and there ought to be a limit to a man's ambitions. When he seeks a third term endorsement. There is nothing to endorse, worthy of the name as time will determine.

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The republican party has nothing to be ashamed of in the list of candidates presented. There is not a name on the list that does not commend itself to tax payers.

The hard winter is having a telling effect upon old people, many of whom are suffering from extreme feebleness.

The robbery came north a little ahead of time this spring. They evidently failed to consult Dr. Hicks.

PRESS COMMENT.

Kenosha Gazette: Japan may be a pagan nation. They know how to fight and they just keep "paging" away.

Chicago News: What do you think would be the state of your pulse were you to lose \$5,000,000 in a week, as Cotton King Sully is reported to have done?

Seranton Tribune: And now Maine, too, has succumbed to the Hearst missionaries. It is plain that the spirit of Puritanism has fled from the region of its nativity.

Neenah Times: The Mormon church people should present their president Joe Smith with a counting machine.

Oakosh Northwestern: The truth of the matter seems to be that Governor La Follette wants the nomination, but he is afraid to ask for it and run the chances of being turned down.

Superior Telegram: "Teddy" carried Minnesota. He will carry everything except Wall street. Nothing can hurt him except to be supported by Wall street. May the latter's opposition continue.

La Crosse Chronicle: There will be but one state convention. Rather an arbitrary decision, but we are inclined to the view that the quicker the sooner. Some men are in a hurry even when in plain sight of their finish.

Chippewa Independent: Considering that the family of the present nikado has ruled Japan since the time of Nebuchadnezzar it is not surprising the Russians thought his government was old and feeble.

Dunn County News: Mme. Patti gave a dinner at Syracuse, N. Y., in recognition of her sixty-first birthday. Such friendliness and good-fellowship is not remarkable but such courage and frankness is unprecedented.

Topeka Capital: A Kickapoo youth was calling on his best girl. The lamp was turned low and they had the room to themselves. They were holding hands. He is a bashful youth, but the girl loves him and is determined to get him. So while they sat in the dim light, side by side, hand in hand, she paved the way for a bold proposal by exclaiming "Sleep Year!" "Laid no, I can't. I got to get home and feed the stock."

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT.
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G. Scarcliff Resident Manager.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
May	92-1/2	92 3/4	91 3/4	92 1/4
July	87 1/2	87 3/4	86 3/4	87 1/4
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May	52 3/4	53 1/4	51 3/4	52 1/4
July	50 1/2	50 3/4	49 3/4	50 1/4
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Nov.				
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Mar.				
Apr.				
May	13 1/2	13 3/4	13 1/4	13 1/2
July	11 1/2	11 3/4	11 1/4	11 1/2
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May	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
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May	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/4	8 1/2
July	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/4	7 1/2
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May	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 1/4	6 1/2
July	5 1/2	5 3/4	5 1/4	5 1/2
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May	5 1/2	5 3/4	5 1/4	5 1/2
July	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/4	4 1/2
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May	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/4	4 1/2
July	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/4	3 1/2
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May	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/4	3 1/2
July	2 1/2	2 3/4	2 1/4	2 1/2
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May	2 1/2	2 3/4	2 1/4	2 1/2
July	1 1/2	1 3/4	1 1/4	1 1/2
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May	1 1/2	1 3/4	1 1/4	1 1/2
July	1/2	3/4	1/4	1/2
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May	1/2	3/4	1/4	1/2
July	1/4	1/2	1/8	1/4
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Apr.				
May	1/4	1/2	1/8	1/4
July	1/8	1/4	1/16	1/8
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Jan.				
Feb.				
Mar.				
Apr.				
May	1/8	1/4	1/16	1/8
July	1/16	1/8	1/32	1/16
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Oct.				
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Mar.				
Apr.				
May	1/16	1/8	1/32	1/16
July	1/32	1/16	1/64	1/32
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.				
Feb.				
Mar.				
Apr.				
May	1/32	1/16	1/64	1/32
July	1/64	1/32	1/128	1/64
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
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Jan.				
Feb.				
Mar.				
Apr.				
May	1/64	1/32	1/128	1/64
July	1/128	1/64	1/256	1/128
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
Jan.				
Feb.				
Mar.				
Apr.				
May	1/256	1/128	1/512	1/256
July	1/512	1/256	1/1024	1/512
Sept.				
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May	1/1024	1/512	1/2048	1/1024
July	1/2048	1/1024	1/4096	1/2048
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May	1/4096	1/2048	1/8192	1/4096
July	1/8192	1/4096	1/16384	1/8192
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Oct.				

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In connection with the approaching semi-centennial jubilee celebration of the University of Wisconsin, it is proposed to publish a series of volumes embodying the results of research in pure and applied science, and in letters, that has been carried on by the members of the University faculty during the past decade. As a permanent record of the results of scholarship in scientific literary, historical and economic investigation, and in being carried on by the University professors, this series of publication, in many respects, will be one of the most important results of the semi-centennial celebration. While the desirability of the proposed publications is unquestioned, the final arrangements for carrying out the undertaking have been delayed by the consideration of the financial element involved. Although the subscriptions received from the alumni and others interested in the University have been liberal, the arrangement committee of the jubilee has been compelled to postpone final decision in the matter of the publication of this series of jubilee volumes, until the amount of the guarantee fund warrants the undertaking.

The plans for the series as at present formulated by the board of editors provides for a set of ten octavo volumes of some four hundred pages each. The material which is already in sight is more than sufficient to fill a series of this kind, and if the financial conditions are favorable, it is probable that the series will be increased to fifteen volumes. Like the anniversary publication, issued recently in connection with similar occasions at Yale University and the University of Chicago, the proposed jubilee volumes will include both the results of recent investigation now published for the first time, and summaries of important pieces of research work, some of the details of which have already appeared in short papers from time to time. The subject matter of these articles will be of the widest range, including contributions from geology and elementary history and economics, and from agriculture and engineering to philology and literary criticism.

During the last ten years investigation and research have been carried on by a considerable portion of the university faculty, the results of some of which have attracted attention both in academic circles, and in the industrial, commercial, and technical world. In a number of instances the results have not been published in full as yet and hence will be available for the jubilee volumes. The work done by Professor Van Hise on the subject of ore formations has not only been of scientific importance in geology, but has proved of practical value in the location and operation of mines. Professor Babcock, well known as the inventor of the milk test that bears his name, attracted the attention of the scientific world recently by his new theory as to the nature of matter and energy and is now engaged in going over carefully again the results of his experiments before publishing them. Professor R. T. Ely's studies of the theory of monopoly and its history, Professor Paul S. Reinsch's discussion on international politics and Professor B. H. Meyer's work on railroad transportation are important contributions to the literature of economics and political science. Professor E. T. Owen of the department of French has been engaged for a number of years on some interesting studies on the relation of thought and language; and Professor W. F. Gliese, of the same department, has a volume ready for publication on literary criticism. In the field of chemistry, Professor Louis Kahlenberg has been carrying on some experiments in physical chemistry on the nature of solutions, which seems to discredit the accepted view on that subject; and Professor Victor Lenher is investigating the nature of tellurium and tellurides. One of the most interesting pieces of work at the present time is some experiments of Professor A. Trowbridge in wireless telegraphy, with a view to obtaining a satisfactory substitute for the coherer now in use in the transmission of wireless messages. In engineering Dean Turneure, Professors Jackson, Swenson, and Burgess have each made contributions to the technical literature of their particular branches of work. The studies of Professor F. J. Turner in the history of the west and the importance of the frontier history of national development are of importance in American history, and are the subjects on which he was called to lecture during the present semester at Harvard University. Professors Russell and Babcock's experiments in the curing of cheese, and Professor W. A. Henry's work in practical agriculture, are among the recent contributions of the College of Agriculture. Most of these and a number of other members of the faculty have pieces of work in preparation or ready for the press which instead of appearing through the usual channels for publication will be contributed to the series of jubilee volumes.

It is estimated that the edition as at present planned, will involve a cost of not less than \$10,000, only a portion of which could be defrayed by sale of the volumes. While the sum is not large one when compared with that expended for similar purposes by other institutions of corresponding rank, the fact that the university has not often made appeals for endowment or similar funds from the alumni and citizens of the state generally makes it more difficult to determine in advance how liberal will be the response. If the plans can be carried out successfully as the result of such support however, this series of volumes will mark an important epoch in the history of scholarship in the University.

AMONG THE WORLD'S WORKERS

News From Various Sources of Great Interest to the Workmen.

A jury at New Haven, Conn., on February 12, found nine union teachers guilty of conspiracy in trying to injure the business of certain trucking firms during the teachers' strike in that city last spring. A sentence of three months in jail for each defendant was imposed.

The Sheet Metal Workers' union of Philadelphia, Pa., has formed an auxiliary union of apprentices which is to take the place of a training school.

Cigar makers in the Philippines have appealed to congress for legislation permitting the free entry to the United States of Philippine manufactured tobacco.

It is now almost certain that all the union miners of Indiana, Pennsylvania and Illinois will strike on April 1. The operators refuse to pay the old scale.

Montreal, C. V. Canada, longshoremen are discussing terms for the coming season. The rates of wages and the hours of labor that existed last season are considered satisfactory, but they want the clause prohibiting a representative of the union on the docks during work hours abolished.

Journemen plumbers at Des Moines have asked for an increase in the contract wage for 1904. Under the contract of last year the plumbers received \$3.50 a day for their services. They have asked for an advance to \$3.75.

Five thousand members of the International Glove makers, an organization resisting the proposition for an open shop policy made by the Glove Manufacturers' Association for their factories at Johnstown and Gloversville, N. Y.

Practically all the coal-hoisting engineers of Boston, Mass., and vicinity are receiving the new union scale of wages, which increases the pay to hoisting engineers \$1.50 a week and trolley and cable men \$1.

Seventeen hundred persons are engaged in the manufacture of wooden shoes in France and they turn out more than a half million pairs per year. They are made by hand.

Resolutions adopted by the Allied Provisional Trades Council at San Francisco, Cal., favoring a central labor body, is meeting with a ready response from the various unions.

The total number trade unionists in New York state has doubled since 1898, the present figure being 395,736 of which 117,531 are women wage-earners. There are 2,587 unions in the state.

Paris bakers have decided to call a general strike before the end of the year which is intended to be the signal for a strike of preliminary trades all over France.

NEWSPAPER OVER A CENTURY OLD

Copy of the Ulster County Gazette Published in 1800—Very Interesting.

Mrs. Emma Morse is the possessor of a unique relic in the form of a copy of the Ulster County Gazette, published at Kingston, New York, January 4th, 1800. The curiosity is printed on four pages eighteen inches long and eleven inches wide with four columns to a page. It is the first number published after the death of George Washington and the inside of the paper is in a black border with a special poem written about Washington and signed "By a Young Lady." Samuel Freer & Son were the publishers and the paper was in its second year, number 88. Much attention was paid to foreign news and the first dispatch on the first page dated American Congress, December 10, and containing the annual address of President John Adams to congress. Then follows a dispatch from London dated Oct. 18, New York, December 23. Above this is stated in small type that the following was taken from papers published in London which arrived on the Factor. Then follows a long account of the military doings on the continent and the battles which were fought between England and France. Among the battles mentioned is that of Zurich. One full page is given up to this interesting news and then the action of congress upon this news is covered extensively in two more pages. A note by the editor announces the fact that the columns of the paper are too full to print more interesting news and briefly epitomizes the late war news. Then followed the advertisements. Peter Ten Brock was sheriff of Ulster county and he had several notices regarding sheriff sales, etc. John Tremper offered some fine Scholary peas for wheat, and John Shoemaker of Rochester offered a stout, healthy, active colored wench for sale as well as half a saw-mill, with plenty of standing timber near it. John Tremper also stated he would trade grapes or dried goods for fur and wheat or would sell them for cash. Abraham Hasbrouck returned thanks to his friends and the public in general and wished to announce he was still selling dry-goods and groceries, as well as in the booting business. Matty's Van-Steenberg was having trouble with his wife and printed the following notice:

Second Notice
Of my wife (Hannah), is hereby given, forbidding all persons whatever, from harboring or keeping her, and from trusting her on my account, as I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting.

MATTY'S VAN-STEENBERGH.
Saugerties (Kingston precinct), Nov. 1800.

The remarkable part of the whole paper is that there is not a typographical error in the whole sheet and that even at the age of a hundred and four years the ink has not faded from the pages.

PLEA MADE FOR SINGING BIRDS

FARMERS SHOULD NOT KILL THE FEATHERED SONGSTERS.

THEY KEEP INSECT LIFE DOWN

Many Breeds of the Harbingers of Spring Help the Agriculturist to Save His Crops.

With the present agitation against the crow and the star that is being waged by the bird men many breeds of the sweet songsters of the field and the other members of the feathered tribes that come with the spring sunshine fear that their pets may suffer a like fate. At request the following article from the Record-Herald is reprinted. It is from the pen of Mrs. Belle P. Drury.

I heard the woodpecker pecking,
I heard the sapsucker sing,
I turned and looked out of my window,
And lo! it was spring.

But birds do not come to us simply as harbingers of spring. They are not merely our tenants in the trees who give morning and evening concerts by way of paying their rent, but they are nature's militia, who keep in subjection inferior creatures. If the arm of birds were destroyed, it has been estimated, that in the course of nine years the world could not be inhabited by man, in spite of all the sprays and poisons that could be manufactured for the destruction of insects. All crops, all fruits, everything which supports human life, would, in a comparatively short period of time, be destroyed by slugs and insects.

"Therefore, we are it would seem, really indebted to the birds of the air, not merely for our living, but for our life itself. No artificial substitute can possibly make up for the unpaid labor of our useful birds, for, while birds multiply by tens, insects increase by thousands, and tens of thousands in a single season, especially in warm countries, so that insects in excess would change the earth from green to brown and cause a general famine.

"Kill Birds, Shorten Crops.
A few years ago Germany and Switzerland made piteous complaint of the destruction of crops by injurious insects whereupon it was found that the cause was due to the rapid decrease of birds. Government keepers had actually been under orders to destroy woodpeckers, whose special office is to rid trees of beetles and grubs.

"War also had been waged against cuckoos, whose merit is that they destroy the hairy caterpillar, which no other bird will touch. The Italians behaved even more foolishly than the Germans, for they had a mania for killing insect eating birds, and as vast flocks of migrants pass through Italy millions were destroyed every year.

In Sicily the war on larks was most extensive. These birds pass through in autumn in great numbers, but they did not die unavenged, for they were such insect loving birds, that their great increase of insects which ravaged the crops till measures were at last taken to stop the persecution of birds.

In our own country, according to the estimates of the director of the New York Zoological Society, the bird life of the United States has decreased during the past fifteen years at the rate of 45 per cent.

Friend of the Farmer.
If man would employ in the suppression of noxious creatures the same energy and ingenuity that he devotes to the general destruction of birds he would suffer much less from the hordes of flies, mosquitoes and parasites, whose name is legion.

In India birds of bright plumage are being killed because the ladies of Paris, London, and Vienna require some 30,000,000 birds a year that they may wear the American Indians—be decorated with feathers.

Insect life is so rampant in India that the only remedy for their destructiveness lies in the birds that fashion demands shall be killed. Small wonder that we so often hear of famine in that country.

In some parts of the United States a bounty is placed on the head of the red-shouldered hawk and a few other birds, but it is the conclusion of those who have examined into the case that if the bounty could be \$500 fine on those who kill the bird instead of 25 cents to the bird slayer, our laws would operate on the right side.

The food of hawks consists in the main of small mammals, insects, reptiles and frogs. As destroyers of mice and noxious insects they are of great value to the farmer, and even the species which occasionally carry off chickens have a handsome balance of good deeds to their credit, as has been estimated that these winged servants save for their murderers at least \$20 a year—indeed, some one asserts that a farmer would better burn a \$50 greenback than kill a certain kind of hawk.

Despised Sparrow Useful.
We have sparrows a-plenty—besides the troublesome English one. It has been carefully estimated that our sparrows destroy 354,375,000,000 caterpillars every year. For nine months of the year sparrows were almost entirely on grubs. A pair will take 4,300 grubs or insects to their young in the course of a week. The sparrow is a great enemy of cockchafers, which damage crops, so he richly deserves the little grain or fruit he is said to steal, as he saves a bushel of corn a year by his industry in destroying insects.

The digestion of nestlings is very rapid, so few people realize how much food they consume. Human beings require only a few ounces of dry food a day, but birds swallow a quantity equal to their own weight.

A redstart has been known to eat 600 flies an hour, and a blackcap has destroyed 2,000 green flies from a rose bush in a greenhouse in a few hours. The wren feeds her young thirty-six times an hour. The cuckoo eats all day—or every five minutes or so.

A young robin kept in a captivity required sixty earth worms a day, and a pair of blue jays were once fed

half a million caterpillars in one season.

The stomach of a newly hatched bird is merely a membranous sac with little muscular development, and so requires soft, digestible material like plumb spiders or cutworms. As the stomach develops the diet changes and hard insects such as beetles can be used.

The habits of the chipping sparrow have been closely watched and it was found that the parent began feeding the nestlings at a few moments before 4 o'clock in the morning and ended at 7:27 in the evening. The longest rest taken during the day was twenty-seven minutes in the afternoon. Two hundred visits to the nest were made by the parents during the day. There's an example of industry for you! The bird that catches the early worm has the disadvantage of a reputation to sustain. The early bird woke in the gray of the dawn.

And hustled him out of his nest. His feathers were ruffled, his eyes were half shut. He hadn't had near enough rest. "Ah, it's pretty hard lines," any one who'd been up. Might have possibly heard him at first. "When everyone else can be catching a nap, I have to be catching that worm."

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News for the Railroad Men.

General Railway News.
The Union Pacific and Burlington roads have announced a joint rate on grain from Nebraska points to St. Louis and East St. Louis, raising the rate 1 cent. The same roads, in conjunction with the North-Western, Milwaukee and Great Western roads, also announce new rates from Nebraska points to intermediate stations between the Missouri river and Chicago raising the tariff to those points. The Chicago-Missouri river route is given a fresh and adjusting the Chicago grain tariffs east of the river. This practically clears up the grain rate war which has existed for several months.

Notice has been received to the effect that the Iowa house has passed a bill requiring railroads to grant return passes to stock shippers and also to provide their freight carbooses with sanitary appliances. The bill is said to be certain of passage through the senate. Efforts to saddle it with riders proved unavailing.

The Western Passenger association has passed a resolution that the Thayer of St. Louis has overruled the demurrer of the ticket brokers to the injunction proceedings brought by the railroads and has delivered a strong opinion regarding the right of the roads to enforce the contracts on their nontransferable tickets.

The United States supreme court yesterday again decided that persons traveling on railroads may not secure damages in case of accident when they ride on passes, and the decision went to the extent of applying the principle to such passengers who are not familiar with the laws of the state in which they are riding. The case decided was that of John D. Booring and his wife, Meadling Booring, versus the Chesapeake Beach Railway company.

SUBMARINE BOAT BADLY NEEDED

The Interurban Railway Was Again Drowned Out at Subway Last Evening—Beloiters Marooned Here.

It may be necessary for the Rockford, Janesville & Beloit Interurban Ry. Co. to add a submarine boat to its rolling stock. Last night the road was drowned out again at the subway and some twenty Beloit residents constituting a "drill team of Modern Woodmen Chapter No. 234" who had been going through some difficult evolutions at Central hall under the direction of Captain Chambers, waited in vain or the last car that did not come. About midnight word was received that traffic was permanently suspended for the night and the visitors repaired to a lively stable where a carry-all to take them home was procured. The Beloiters were somewhat vexed at the interurban for its inability to meet the emergency and declared that as they had return tickets in their pockets the electric road would have to pay for the carry-all. Upon reaching Spring Brook, the water was found to be deep on the roadway that the attempt was given up and the party returned and spent the night in Janesville.

Mo's Cure for Consumption is an effective remedy for cough on the lungs. All druggists, 25c.

WICKERSHAM SPOKE TO LARGE AUDIENCE

Lecturer at Y. M. C. A. Building Pleased Many with His Discourse on "Day Dreams."

Despite the fog and rain a good sized audience attended the lecture given by L. B. Wickersham at the Y. M. C. A. building last evening. "Day Dreams" was the topic and the modern boy, his ideals, hopes, and aspirations, furnished the subject matter. Mr. Wickersham proved to be a very entertaining and interesting speaker.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth.
Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. WINDLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

ATTENTION A. O. H.: ALL MEMBERS

of the A. O. H. are requested to meet at their hall this evening at 7:30 sharp to make arrangements to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, James Murphy. John P. Heffernan, president.

TOBACCO CROPS BEING BROUGHT

TO THE CITY DAILY—CONDITION IS FAIR.

LATENESS OF THE SEASON

Will Cause the Packing Houses to Run Far Into the Summer to Handle All the Leaf.

Several loads of tobacco were brought to this city today and shipped to the American Tobacco company at Broadhead. A. N. Jones opened his warehouse this morning with a full force of hands. The crops have been coming rather slow the past week, but this weather and the thaw of the last few days will bring the tobacco down and bring it into first class case. The dealers are patiently waiting for the delivery of their contracted crops.

There are many discouraging features in the situation. The work of warehouse handling is now in full progress but it was two months late in starting, and even though it is continued unusually late into the spring there is little hope that the same proportion of the crop can be handled as in average years. A considerable part of the crop will unquestionably be handled on the farms, but there will certainly be some growers who will be willing to take small prices rather than attempt to case their tobacco themselves. In the meantime there is little movement in the market. No competition among buyers is developing, and the tendency is toward low prices, though occasional lots of choice goods go at good figures. There has been some movement in old leaf. Shipment out of storage from Edgerton for the week amounted to 500 cases.

New England.
The greater part of the crop has been taken from the poles, though there is considerable hanging. There have been a number of sales during the week, but prices have been such as to cause much disappointment to growers. Good leaf fetches from 10 cents to 11 cents per pound as against 18 to 20 cents last year, and the result is likely to be a considerable decrease in tobacco acreage this year.

New York.
There is but little change in the situation. Beyond a few small sales, there have been no transactions. Farmers, however, are taking a sanguine view of the situation. When the roads have dried up a little there will be plenty of buyers in the field and a lively market. The supply, too, being rather light, there is a prospect that higher prices may be realized than heretofore.

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EARLY BATH FOR MONTEREY LADS

Two Fourteen-Year-Old Youngsters Fell Into Monterey Raceway Sunday.

While playing at the water's edge near the old cotton-mill race-way at Monterey Sunday afternoon Patrick Condon, aged fourteen, lost his footing and tumbled into the stream. George Griffin, a playmate, attempted to rescue him and was also drawn into the swift current. Workmen at the electric power plant heard the cries of the youngsters and hurried to the scene. They were enabled to get both boys ashore after the Condon had gone down twice. No serious consequences from the early spring bath are anticipated.

Bon Ami

Polishes the copper on kettles, tanks and boilers.

The greatest thing in the world is a Mother's Love; the love she lavishes on her children; the love her child should have for her; without this love she could not endure the agonies incident to childbirth; appreciative of this love, Mother's Friend was devised to lessen the pain and anguish of childbirth, that her love might not be strained to the breaking point. Mother's Friend does all this and more—it enables the fond mother to speedily regenerate from the labors of maternity, enables her to regain her lost strength, preserves her youthful lines of beauty, and makes pregnancy her crowning joy without any thorns to mar it.

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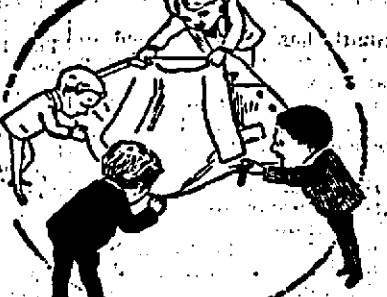
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AND DIRECT EMPLOYMENT OF LABOR BY MUNICIPALITY.

SOCIAL DEMOCRATS CONVENED

At the City Hall Last Evening, and Nominated Candidates for All Offices But City Attorney.

It is a maxim that amounts to an article of faith with the social democrats that undue power shall be delegated to no single person. Therefore, after Chairman T. J. McKelue had called the city convention to order at the city hall assembly room and read the call last evening, a motion offered by some thoughtful one that the chairman appoint a committee to draw up a platform and resolutions, met with prompt opposition. The motion was declared out of order and the assembly proceeded to elect said committee by the usual procedure of ayes and nays. The committee as elected was composed of Joseph Weiss, Edward Kerry, W. H. Phelps, W. R. Williams, and Herbert E. Ludington.

Platform Adopted.

The committee retired and drew up the following platform which was adopted: "International Socialism demands collective ownership of public utilities and all industries in the hands of trusts and combines. 2. Democratic management of such collective industries. 3. Reduction of the hours of labor and progressive increase of remuneration. 4. State and national insurance for the workers, and honorable rest for old age. 5. The management of public industries to safeguard the workers against lack of employment. 6. Education of all children up to the age of 18 years. No child labor. 7. Equal political and civil rights for men and women."

Resolutions Passed

The resolutions offered and passed were as follows: "Resolved that we, the social democratic party of the city of Janesville, in convention assembled, reaffirm our adherence to the platform and principles of the social democratic party of the state of Wisconsin; and be it further resolved that we make the following immediate demands: 1. Eight hours to constitute a day's work. 2. The abolition of the contract system and the substitution of direct employment by the city on all city work. 3. The establishment of a city coal-yard, coal to be furnished to the public at cost. 4. Free school-books in all public schools and such other measures from time to time as will tend to benefit the public at large."

The Nominations

The social democrats offered no candidate for city attorney, but nominees were placed on the ticket for the other offices as follows: A. A. Blunt, City Treasurer; W. S. Kerry, Justice of Peace; H. Ludington, T. J. McKelue, re-elected chairman of the city committee and W. H. Phelps, secretary. The following members of the committee were elected from the various wards: First ward, Walter Kerry; second, Washington Barriago; third, Herbert E. Ludington; fourth, Edward Braby; fifth, J. C. Schuler, Jr. The party will make no nominations for ward offices this year.

LOCAL PERSONAL PICK-UPS

Stalled at Powers: The wash-out along the Interurban line is located near Powers station. One of the cars is stalled there and had not been started this afternoon. There is said to be two feet of water in the subway where the St. Paul road crosses the line and it would be impossible to get through there even if the wash-out were repaired. Eight inches of water is about all the cars can navigate.

At a Stag Party: Art Baumann entertained ten of his friends at a stag party last evening. Cards furnished the diversion of the evening.

Telephone Pole Affair: Pedestrians along West Milwaukee street last evening were startled to see a tongue of flame about two feet high shoot up from the electric light pole near Hall, Sayles & Fifield's jewelry store. The fire department was notified and electricians were promptly sent to relieve the difficulty, caused by crossed wires.

Did Not Meet: The grand jury was not in session today. Whether the vacation is to last a few days or weeks cannot be ascertained from any reliable source.

Attended Funeral: G. H. Pierce of New Glarus Lumber company, of New Glarus, Peter Olsen of Blanchardville, Wis., and Martin Paulson of A. P. Lovejoy Lumber company, of Evansville, were here yesterday to attend the funeral of the late A. P. Lovejoy.

Was in City Today: Rev. Francis Clement Kelley, associate editor of the Men & Women Home Magazine, of Cincinnati, Ohio, was in the city for a few hours today. Rev. Kelley was on his way from Darlington where he delivered a lecture last evening under the auspices of the American Lyceum bureau.

Meet Tomorrow: The Royal Neighbors will meet tomorrow evening for their regular meeting at the close of which they will celebrate the ninth anniversary of their organization with a suitable program. Each member is permitted to bring one friend.

Will Marry a Minneapolis Girl: Invitations have been received in this city announcing the marriage of Mr. Charles Hanson, formerly of this city, to Miss Maude Knapp of Minneapolis, to take place at the home of the bride's mother, 1606 Sixth street, south, April 6, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Hanson was formerly a well known resident of this city.

Married Yesterday: Edward Wilcox, son of Mrs. Sue Wilcox, brother of J. L. Wilcox of this city, was married yesterday to Miss Mary Smith at Cedar Rapids, Ia. Mr. Wilcox is well known in Janesville, having resided here until a few years ago. They will make their home in Chicago.

Rugs Made of Old Carpets: Address M. Iralon, Smith's hotel.

FOUR AND A HALF FEET ABOVE MARK

Rock River Rose About Six Inches Last Evening—May Equal 1901 High Water Record.

Four and a half feet above the low water mark is where the Rock river stood at half-past ten o'clock this morning, according to E. B. Holmstrom's board. The high water mark of 1901 was six feet above the low, so the river has still to rise a foot and a half to reach that record. The rise last evening was about half a foot and the water was about an inch higher at 1:30 than at half-past ten o'clock today.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Janesville City Lodge, No. 90, I. O. O. F., at West Side Odd Fellows' hall, Janesville Lodge, No. 254, B. P. O. E., at K. of P. hall. Women's Catholic Order of Foresters at Foresters' hall. Janesville Garrison, No. 19, Knights of the Globe, at East Side Odd Fellows' hall. Order of Beavers.

FUTURE EVENTS

Kennedy Players appear at Myers theatre Tuesday evening in "The Two Jolly Tramps." Francis Wilson and his comic opera company in "Erminie" at Myers theatre Wednesday evening, March 23. Further art exhibition at public library building Wednesday afternoon and evening.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Hand Sapolio, Nash. Art league exhibit. Sweet peas and pansies. Never too early. Nash.

New wall paper at Skelly's. Mandeville, King & Co., flower seeds, the best seeds grown. Nash. Remember the date, Wed., Thurs., and Fri.

20 Mile Team Borax. Nash. For spring wallpaper and Patton's sun proof paints "Talk to Lowell." Jersey sweet potatoes. Nash. Baldwin and Greening apples. Nash.

Do not fail to see the beautiful collection of paintings at the art gallery. Nalisco, Fairy sandwiches. Nash. The ladies of the Congregational church will serve a good supper in the church parlors Wednesday evening at 5:30 and after the supper the entertainment in the Sunday school room will be a discussion on one of the interesting topics of the day. The gentlemen who will take part are all personally interested in the subject and no doubt will bring out some line of thought that will be appreciated. There will also be a selection by the Laurel octette.

Florida tomatoes. Nash. Calumet baking powder. Nash. Tickets for Art league exhibition on sale at King's Pharmacy and People's drugstore. Season ticket, 50c; single admission, 25c. Finnian haddies, 10c lb. Nash. Do not miss the supper and church service at the Congregational church Wednesday evening at 5:30. Strawberries, 15c qt. Nash. It's a good school, the W. B. C. Fred Balch, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Balch, is here from Salt Lake City, where he has been employed in a railway office.

Early June peas, 10c; 3 for 25c. Nash. Few messages that are delivered to thousands fall to interest some. That's why Gazette want ads. pay. Three lines three times, 25 cents.

The O. E. S. dancing party which was announced for Wednesday evening has been postponed. California celery. Nash. For Sale—Sideboard, bookcases, bed room suites, dining room table and chairs, carpets, etc., Wednesday and Thursday at 107 South Third street.

Choice pancy, verbona and sweet peas; get them now and get good varieties. Nash. Special Wednesday and Thursday—Old Country soap, 25c Nash. Corner Stone, \$1.35. Nash. Best 50c tea on earth. Best 25c coffee on earth.

Janesville or Onarga corn, 10c. Nash. 3 packages Graham crackers, 25c. Nash.

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OBITUARY

James Murphy Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock death summoned Mr. James Murphy, No. 505 Galena street, after a illness of about one year, and his death was not unexpected, as he has been very low for the past few weeks. Deceased was born at Bellows Falls, Vermont, August 30, 1857. When about ten years of age he moved with his parents to this city, and learned the machinist trade in the shops of the C. & N. W. railroad company. He then moved to Baraboo and worked for the same company twelve years, when he returned to this city and accepted a position as fireman on the road with the same company, which position he has faithfully held up to the time of his recent illness. He was a steady, hard-working man and had the respect and esteem of the officials and employees of the North-Western road. He was a prominent member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. He leaves to mourn his loss, a wife and seven children, Margaret, Jeanette, Thomas, Eleanor, James, Isabel and Clarke, and one sister, Mrs. James Walsh, of Milwaukee.

Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 9:15 o'clock from St. Patrick's church.

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FLOOD AFFECTS TRAFFIC TODAY

BOTH RAILROADS HAVE WASH-OUTS ON THEIR LINES.

GO BY WAY OF MILWAUKEE

Monterey Dam Is Severely Strained by the Rush of Waters—No Danger Is Anticipated.

Heavy rain that prevailed last evening and the continued thaw of the last few days played havoc with the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, the Chicago & North-Western railroad trains, and the Postal Telegraph Co. this morning.

Train Delayed

The Chicago train due the St. Paul road due to leave here this morning at 7:30 o'clock did not go out and the 10:30 train from Mineral Point was sent from here by way of Milwaukee with the Chicago passengers. The Chicago train due here this morning over the Janesville & South-eastern did not get here at all, and passengers had to go by way of Milwaukee to get to the city.

Wash Out Near City

The wash-out on the Janesville & Southeastern road is about a mile below the city in the vicinity of the Knickerbocker works, and section men were sent from here this morning to repair the tracks. The North-Western company had a bridge wash-out just outside of Beloit, and several freight cars were derailed near Afton. The noon passenger from Chicago was twenty-five minutes late on account of the several stops made along the line where wash-outs were liable to occur.

Factories Under Water

The Janesville Cement Post factory, and the Knickerbocker works were submerged in three feet of water this morning. Employees of these companies are hard at work trying to prevent damage to the factory properties.

Monterey Dam

Last night several boards were torn from the center portion of the Monterey dam, and it is thought that the structure will not long withstand the pressure of water that is coming down the stream at that point.

Cars Did Not Arrive Today

The cars on the Janesville, Beloit & Rockford Interurban line did not arrive in the city this morning owing to the wash-out of their tracks at different points along the line.

DEMS CROWD TO GET OFF TICKET

Wholesale Defection Among Second Ward Nominees Reported at the City Clerk's Office.

Democrats in some of the wards are not evincing the true spirit that counts defeat with a laugh, according to their fellow partisans. Collin C. McLean has served notice that he will not be a candidate for alderman in the first ward. James Scott, a republican and a candidate for alderman on the democratic ticket, in the second ward, and Thomas Morrissey, candidate for constable in the same ward are also reported to have declared their intentions of withdrawing. William T. Thiele, candidate for school commissioner in the second, is said to be another who will decline, leaving E. J. Wilson, candidate for supervisor, the sole remnant of the four original nominees. C. K. Millmore has withdrawn his candidacy for the office of school commissioner at large. It looks like a wholesale defection. The democrats filed their papers with the city clerk this morning.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Dr. St. John left this morning for Chicago. Emmet McGowan transacted business in Monroe today. Dr. Melvin Hannaford of Rockford and George Congdon of Chicago are in the city to attend the funeral of E. Hall.

Mrs. Louise Peacock and two children of Rockford, Ill., spent Sunday in the city, the guests of Mrs. W. C. English at Hotel Corneau.

Mrs. William Burr returned last evening from an extended visit in Washington, D. C.

LAID IN LAST RESTING PLACE

Vera Kellogg Funeral services over the remains of the late Vera Kellogg, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Kellogg, of the town of La Prairie, were held this morning at 10 o'clock from the family home. Rev. Tipton conducted the services and the song service was rendered by Mrs. Hawley. The pallbearers were Sidney Thomas, Louis Ullrich, William Coen and William Bradford. The interment was at Oak Hill cemetery.

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SECOND THUNDER STORM ARRIVED

It Was Accompanied by a Dense Fog, and Gloom Pervaded the Whole Atmosphere.

Superintendent Killam at the county farm and asylum was the host this morning to a delegation of supervisors from Racine county, who were inspecting the Rock county buildings. The party consisted of R. M. Boyd, Peter Wilson, John Barr, William Schenkenber and A. G. Zimmerman. They are making a tour of the state visiting the leading asylums to secure ideas with a view of applying them to the new structure of Racine county which is to be erected shortly. The party came to Janesville from La Crosse and left this morning at 10:35 for Waukesha. They expressed themselves as much pleased with the Rock county buildings. Ten of the former inmates of the Racine asylum are now here having been sent to Supt. Killam after that structure burned down.

FRANCIS WILSON COMES WEDNESDAY

Sale of Seats for the Attraction Is Very Brisk—A Rare Opportunity.

Tomorrow evening Francis Wilson and his company of players will present "Erminie" at the Myers Grand. It promises to be a rare treat for the Janesville lovers of comic opera and the all-star cast which accompany Mr. Wilson in his farrow tour as an opera star as well as the revival of the opera that made him famous, will without a doubt, be well attended. Manager Myers announces that all seats reserved must be called for by one o'clock tomorrow or sold and also states that he has dusted the S. R. O. sign and expects to have it in front of the door when the curtain goes up.

TWO MEN HURT IN TRAIN TIP-OVER

Washout on Northwestern Wrecked a Freight Train Near Afton Last Night.

Last evening a freight train on the North-Western road due here at 6:30 did not arrive in this city up to a late hour this afternoon. The train ran into a washout near Afton, derailling the engine and many freight cars. The engineer, fireman and brakeman were severely injured. The brakeman, A. E. Richardson, was brought to this city and conveyed to the Palmer Memorial hospital, where it was found that his injuries were of an internal nature. The fireman was sent on to his home in Fond du Lac. The engineer was severely shaken up but did not leave his post of duty.

MAYOR A. O. WILSON

Mayor A. O. Wilson was able to take a little nourishment this morning for the first time in many hours. Otherwise his condition showed no marked change. He was reported to be about the same this afternoon.

The art exhibit will open at 2 o'clock.

Be Fair to Yourself

Supposing they do tell you that they don't keep that kind of meat. What else can they say as you lay down 12½c a pound for a rib roast when the know our price is 10c a pound for as good meat, the least you can say?

We are cutting today a fine 2-year-old beef as ever hung in a market, 6 to 8 lb. for the best boiling pieces, 10c a lb. for the best round steak, 12½c lb. for best sirloin cuts. Fancy spring chickens, 15c lb. Good sized turkeys 18c lb. Beef tenderloin, 18c lb. Kettle rendered leaf lard, no better ever sold, 10-lb. pails, \$1; 5-lb. pails, 50c.

You can get any kind of fresh meat you want here and either the quality will be better or the price lower. 600 loaves new home-made bread at 4c a loaf.

New eggs at 17c doz. Cero Fruto package, 7c. Fancy table syrup, gal. cans, 25c. Navel oranges all sizes, 25c pk. GRUBB PRODUCE CO.

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WISCONSIN SEMI-CENTENNIAL RACES THE BEST IN WEST.

THE EVENTS PAR EXCELLENCE

Cornell Will Send Two Crews to Compete—Duluth Crew and St. John's Oarsmen Entered.

The greatest rowing regatta ever held in the west is now assured as a feature of the great semi-centennial jubilee celebration of the university of Wisconsin next June. The date is June 6 and the water is Lake Mendota, on the shores of which is the university of the Badger state. The regatta will surpass the original plans of the Wisconsin managers, owing to the first refusal of the Cornell university aquatic department to contract to send a crew west.

Secured Duluth: The Wisconsin management negotiated successfully with the Duluth Boat club to send crews to Madison and on top of this the Cornell head, President Shurman, notified President Van Hise of Wisconsin that the people at Ithaca, New York, had reconsidered the matter and found it possible for the crack intercollegiate crew of the country to participate in the Badger state celebration. This was conditioned upon the setting of the date of the races outside of the time scheduled for the Cornell examinations. The Wisconsin athletic authorities have complied by setting the date June 5, and the great regatta is assured. There will be at least three crews in each event.

American Henley The premier race will be the event for the eight-oared shells over a straight course, of two miles, half the distance of the annual eastern intercollegiate regatta race at Poughkeepsie on the Hudson river. There will also be a race for freshmen oarsmen in eight-oared shells and in this the youngsters of the university will meet the cadets of the St. John's Military academy at Delafield, Wisconsin.

Have Two Crews The Duluth Boat club will be represented by two crews, for the eight-oared and four-oared events. Cornell will bring an eight-oared and a four-oared entry and Wisconsin university will have two eight-oared and a four-oared crew.

Department Called Out: Last evening at 7:45 o'clock an alarm was sent in from box 42 located at the corner of Lincoln and Holmes street, calling the fire department to the home of William Kober, where a lighted lamp had been overturned; when the department arrived their service was not needed.

Moran of the Lady Letty

By
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Author of "The Oc-
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CHAPTER VI.

IN spite of his best efforts at self control Wilbur felt a slow, cold clutch at his heart. That sickening, uncanny lifting of the schooner out of the glassy water at a time when there was not enough wind to so much as wrinkle the surface sent a creep of something very like horror through all his flesh.

Again he peered over the side down into the kelp thickened sea. Nothing—not a breath of air was stirring. The gray light that flooded down from the stars showed not a break upon the surface of Magdalena bay. On shore nothing moved.

"Quiet there, forward!" called Moran to the shrill voiced cooles.

The succeeding stillness was profound. All on board listened intently. The water dripped like the ticking of a clock from the Bertha Miller's stern, which with the rising of the bow had sunk almost to the rail. There was no other sound.

"Strange!" muttered Moran, her brows contracting.

Charlie broke the silence with a wail. "No likee, no likee!" he cried at top voice.

The man had gone suddenly green. Wilbur could see the white of his eyes, distended like those of a harassed cat. As he, Moran and Wilbur stood in the schooner's waist, staring at each other, the smell of punk came to their nostrils. Forward the cooles were already burning joss sticks on the fo'c'sle head, knowing their foreheads to the deck.

Moran went forward and kicked them to their feet and hurled their joss sticks into the sea.

"Feng shui! Feng shui!" they exclaimed with bated breaths. "The Feng shui no likee ye."

Low in the east the horizon began to blacken against the sky. It was early morning. A watch was set, the Chinamen sent below, and until day-break, when Charlie began to make a clattering of this in the galley as he set about preparing breakfast, Wilbur paced the rounds of the schooner, looking, listening and waiting again for that slow, horrifying lift. But the rest of the night was without incident.

After breakfast the strangely assorted trio—Charlie, Moran and Wilbur—held another conference in the cabin. It was decided to move the schooner to the other side of the bay.

"Feng shui in disa place. No likee we," announced Charlie.

"Feng shui—who are they?"

Charlie promptly became incoherent on this subject, and Moran and Wilbur could only guess that the Feng shui were the tutelary deities that presided over that portion of Magdalena bay. At any rate, there were evidently no more sharks to be caught in that fishing ground. So sail was made, and by noon the Bertha Miller tied up to the kelp on the opposite side of the inlet, about half a mile from the shore.

The shark were plentiful here, and the fishing went forward again as before. Certain of these shark were hauled aboard, stunned by a blow on the nose and their fins cut off. The Chinamen packed these fins away in separate kegs. Eventually they would be sent to China.

Two or three days passed. The hands kept steadily at their work. Nothing more occurred to disturb the monotony of the scorching days and soundless nights. The schooner sat as easily on the unbroken water as though built to the bottom. Soon the night watch was discontinued. During these days the three officers lived high. Turtle were plentiful, and what with their stews and soups, the fried abalones, the sea fish, the really delicious shark fins and the quail, that Charlie and Wilbur trapped along the shore, the trio had nothing to wish for in the way of table luxuries.

The shore was absolutely deserted as well as the back country—an unbroken wilderness of sand and sage. Half a dozen times Wilbur, wearying

of his inaction aboard the schooner, made the entire circuit of the bay from point to point. Standing on one of the latter projections and looking out to the west, the Pacific appeared as empty of life as the land. Never a keel cut those waters, never a sail broke the edge of the horizon, never a feather of smoke spotted the sky where it whitened to meet the sea. Everything was empty—vast, unspeakably desolate—palpating with heat.

Another week passed. Charlie began to complain that the sharks were growing scarce again.

"I think bimby him go way, once a mo."

That same night Wilbur, lying in his hammock, was awakened by a touch on his arm. He woke to see Moran beside him on the deck.

"Did you hear anything?" she said in a low voice, looking at him under her scowl.

"No, no!" he exclaimed, getting up, reaching for his wicker sandals. "Did you?"

"I thought so—something. Did you feel anything?"

"I've been asleep; I haven't noticed anything. Is it beginning again?"

"The schooner lifted again just now, very gently. I happened to be awake or I wouldn't have noticed it." They were talking in low voices, as is the custom of people speaking in the dark.

"There, what's that?" exclaimed Wilbur under his breath. A gentle vibration, barely perceptible, thrilled through the schooner. Under his hand that was clasped upon the rail Wilbur could feel a faint trembling in her frame. It stopped, began again and died slowly away.

"Well, what the deuce is it?" he muttered impatiently, trying to master the returning creep of dread.

Moran shook her head, biting her lip.

"It's beyond me," she said, frowning. "Can you see anything?" The sky, sea and land were unbroken reaches of solitude. There was no breath of wind.

"Listen," said Moran. Far off to landward came the faint, sleepy clucking of a quail and the stridulating of unnumbered crickets. A long ripple licked the slope of the beach and slid back into the ocean. Wilbur shook his head.

"Don't hear anything," he whispered. "Sh—there—she's trembling again."

Once more a prolonged but faint quivering ran through the Bertha Miller from stem to stern and from keel to gunwale. There was a barely audible creaking of joints and panes. The oil in the deck tubs trembled. The vibration was so fine and rapid that it tickled the soles of Wilbur's feet as he stood on the deck.

"I'd give two fingers to know what it all means," murmured Moran in a low voice. "I've been to sea for—"

Then suddenly she cried aloud: "Steady, all! She's lifting again!"

The schooner heaved slowly under them, this time by the stern. Up she went, up and up, while Wilbur gripped at a stay to keep his place and tried to choke down his heart, that seemed to beat against his palate.

"Heavens!" ejaculated Moran, her eyes blazing. "This thing is—"

The Bertha came suddenly down to an easy keel, rocking in that glassy sea as if in a tide rip. The deck was awash with oil. Far out in the bay the ripples widening from the schooner blurred the reflections of the stars. The Chinamen swarmed up the hatchway, voluble and shrill. Again the Bertha Miller lifted and sank, the tubs sliding on the deck, the masts quivering like reeds, the timbers groaning aloud with the strain. In the stern something cracked and smashed. Then the trouble died away, the ripples faded into the ocean and the schooner settled to her keel, quite motionless.

"Look," said Moran, her face toward the Bertha's stern. "The rudder is out of the gudgeons." It was true—the Bertha Miller's helm was unshipped.

There was no more sleep for any one on board that night. Wilbur tramped the quarter deck, sick with a feeling he dared not put a name to. Moran sat by the wrecked rudder head, a useless pistol in her hand, swearing under her breath from time to time. Charlie appeared on the quarter deck at intervals, looked at Wilbur and Moran with wide open eyes, and then took himself away. On the forward deck the cooles pasted strips of red paper inscribed with mottoes upon the mast and filled the air with the reek of their joss sticks.

"If one could only see what it was," growled Moran between her clinched teeth. "But this—heaving and trembling, it—it's queer."

"That's it, that's it," said Wilbur quickly, facing her. "What are we going to do, Moran?"

"Stick it out!" she exclaimed, striking her knee with her fist. "We can't leave the schooner—I won't leave her. I'll stay by this dough dish as long as two planks in her hold together. Were you thinking of cutting away?" She fixed him with her frown.

Wilbur looked at her, sitting erect by the disabled rudder, her head bare, her braids of yellow hair hanging over her breast, sitting there in man's clothes and man's boots, the pistol at her side. He shook his head.

"I'm not leaving the Bertha till you do," he answered, adding, "I'll stand by you, mate, until we—"

"Feel that?" said Moran, holding up a hand.

(To be Continued.)

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

How To Find Out.
Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; if you find a sediment, it indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What To Do.
There is comfort in the knowledge, so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage.

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Writing mention this paper and don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y.

Footville, March 22.—A sub-district rally of the Epworth League of Evansville, Orderville, Janesville and Footville will be held here Saturday evening and all day Sunday.

Rev. Logan of Stoughton will have charge of these meetings. Much good is hoped to be realized from attending these meetings.

The big bridge east of here known as Barlow bridge was washed completely away by flood on Saturday.

Miss Helen Popple has the measles. Mr. Karnes was in Janesville over Sunday.

Dr. Blay of Cottage Grove was an over Sunday visitor here.

Mr. Fred Orefahl contemplates moving here soon.

The Telephone Co. here have just purchased a new Kellogg switch-board.

Mrs. Mary Pepper is lying dangerously ill at the home of Henry Pepper.

Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Carrie Whitmore to a gentleman out in Nebraska.

W. J. Owen has received a car load of Washington red cedar shingles.

Since the snow has disappeared the wretched condition of our sidewalks is more noticeable than ever. Why not renew with cement walks this spring?

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.
The republican electors of the town of Milton are requested to meet in caucus at P. of H. hall, Milton Junction, Wis., on Thursday, March 31, 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for town officers and the transaction of such other business as may before said caucus.

W. W. CLARKE,
J. J. DENNETT,
A. D. FRINK,
Committee.

Milton, Wis., March 23, 1904.

A CARD
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Green's warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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Janesville, Wis.

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Every day during March and April, 1904, one way tourist tickets at greatly reduced rates will be sold to points in Utah, California, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia.

Also very low settlers' rates north and west of St. Paul, and to all points on C. M. & St. P. lines in north and south Dakota, March 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 and April 5, 12, 19 and 26, 1904. For rates and other information call on the ticket agent, phone 191.

WHY IT SUCCEEDS.
Because it's For One Thing Only and Janesville is Learning This.

Nothing can be good for anything. Doing one thing well brings success.

Doan's Kidney Pills do one thing only. They are for sick kidneys. They cure backache, every kidney ill.

Here is evidence to prove it. Mrs. George M. Carey of 1020 Pleasant street, Beloit, says: "I could hardly realize that the first box of Doan's Kidney Pills obtained at C. E. Emerson's drug store did me so much good. I used medicine from the doctor which helped me for a time but soon I became as bad as ever if not worse. I suffered from disordered kidneys for four years and the pain in my back was terrible. I could not sleep but at times had to sit up almost the entire night. When rising from a chair I was often compelled to place my hands on the sides of it and raise myself up to keep the strain off my back. I also suffered from the disturbing of my rest at night. After using Doan's Kidney Pills a short time these symptoms left me and since then I have felt well."

Plenty more proof like this from Janesville people. Call at the People's drug store and ask what their customers report.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. sole and ask what their customers report.

Remember the name—Doan's, and take no other.

INFANT SAVES TINY CHILDREN

Carries His Four Brothers and Sisters From Submerged House.

Waukegan, Ill., March 22.—Five little children of Alfred Crew, only partly clothed, suffered terribly from cold and four would have been drowned had not their 7-year-old sister retained her presence of mind. Left alone by their mother, who had gone down town, the children found the house was being surrounded with water, which gradually crept over the floor until the boards were submerged to a depth of about a foot. The oldest child thought it was time to do something, and taking the children one by one, she carried them outside and laid them in the snow.

Millionaire Falls Dead.
Pasadena, Cal., March 22.—A. W. Colgate of Morristown, Mass., a millionaire soap manufacturer, dropped dead on Orange Grove avenue.

City Workmen on Strike.
Columbus, O., March 22.—Eighteen men employed on the municipal electric light plant, struck for 30 cents an hour and a nine-hour day.

London Broker Falls.
London, March 22.—The failure of Louis Hyams, a small but well known broker, has been announced on the stock exchange.

Praises American Warships.
Lima, March 22.—President Candamo has visited the American cruiser New York and expressed great satisfaction over it.

Kills Jolo Rebel Leader.
Manila, March 22.—Panglima Hassan, the leader of the Jolo insurrectionists, has been killed by Col. Scott's command.

Aged Woman Inhales Gas.
New York, March 22.—Mrs. Mary Tomlinson, aged 75 years, committed suicide by inhaling gas.

Boy Hangs Himself.
Laporte, Ind., March 22.—Andrew Anderson, a boy 16 years old, hanged himself in a tree.

MEN ARE POWERLESS
To Fight Against Disease Unless They Strike at the Underlying Cause.

To treat Dandruff and Falling Hair, with irritants or oils on which a parasite germ will prosper, is like scooping water from the ocean to prevent the tide from rising.

You cannot accomplish a satisfactory cure without having a right understanding of the fundamental causes of the trouble.

You must kill the Dandruff Germ. Newbro's Herpicide does this because it is specially made to do that very thing.

When the germ is removed, the hair has no choice but to resume healthy growth and beauty.

Destroy the cause, you remove the effect.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

People's Drug Co. and King's Pharmacy, Special Agents.

For A Plow or Harrow...

You want the best the market affords at the very lowest price. Its time you were buying your farm implements and our stock is bigger than ever before. We re-assert that we are showing the largest assortment of farm implements ever shown to the farmers of Rock county. You'll have no trouble finding just what you want.

Plows

3 kinds Walking

4 kinds Gang and Sulkies.

Harrows

4 makes Steel.

2 makes Wood.

You can't do better than to see our show room and get our prices

D. M. Barlass,

Court St. On the Bridge.

We Meet All Prices.

SYRUP OF FIGS



To sweeten,
To refresh,
To cleanse the
system,
Effectually
and Gently;

Dispels colds and
headaches when
bilious or con-
stipated;
For men, women
and children;

There is only
one Genuine
Syrup of Figs;
to get its bene-
ficial effects

Acts best on
the kidneys
and liver,
stomach and
bowels;

Always buy the genuine—Manufactured by the

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The genuine Syrup of Figs is for sale by all first-class druggists. The full name of the company—California Fig Syrup Co.—is always printed on the front of every package. Price Fifty Cents per bottle.



Advance Sale LADIES' Tailored Shirt Waist Suits



Low prices made especially for Early Buyers. Very complete lines—Stylish, Handsome, Washable Suits at \$1.50 to \$10.00 each.

WOOL FABRIC SUITS

Just consigned from acknowledged leading Suit Makers of the east, correct in every detail, prices

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These beautiful suits are tailor-made, from the most popular dress materials to be used this season.

All alterations necessary to perfect fitting will be made without extra charge by an experienced dressmaker employed exclusively by this store.

For HOME-FURNISHING

We have a large new stock of

Carpets

Rugs

Door Draperies

Lace Curtains

It is an attractive assortment.

The high quality and low prices which prevail in our Carpet Room will please you.

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Special Reduced Excursion Rates

Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & North-Western Railway for the occasions named below: Los Angeles, beginning May 3, General Conference Methodist Episcopal Church.

San Francisco, May 3d to 8th, Retail Grocers' National Association.

San Francisco, Sept. 6th to 9th, Triennial Concave Knights Templar.

San Francisco, Sept. 10th to 25th, Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

To California
Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western line. Two solid fast trains through California daily. Overland Limited (electric) 11:30 p. m. (throughout) less than three days' route, leaves Chicago, 8:00 p. m. Another fast train leaves Chicago, 11:35 p. m. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

To California in a Tourist Sleeper. Quiet, comfortable and inexpensive. Via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. A double berth Chicago to San Francisco, San Jose, Santa Barbara or Los Angeles costs only \$7. If you are contemplating a trip to the Pacific coast it is worth your while to call on ticket agents C. M. & St. P. Ry. for folder, etc.

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J. C. Wakley, Milwaukee—My wife was sick many years. Nothing done her any good till she used Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Now she's strong and well. 35 cents. A. Volts' Pharmacy.

The Overland Service
To San Francisco every day via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. Double daily train service to north Pacific coast points. Double daily train service to Denver; only one night Janesville to Denver.

Now is the time to take a spring tonic, to purify the blood, cleanse the liver and kidneys of all impurities. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do the business. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. A. Volts' Pharmacy.

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Laundry Blue

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Won't Freeze
Won't Break
Won't Spill
Won't Spot Clothes

Costs 10 Cents, Equals 20 Cents worth of any other kind of bluing

Wiggle-Stick is a stick of soluble blue in a silver bag inside a perforated cardboard, through which the water flows and dissolves the color as needed.

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Wiggle-Stick around in the water

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SPRING OVERCOATS

Probably the smartest Overcoat for Spring is the Box Coat of coverts and fancy Scotch effects. Other correct garments are the Oxford and black vicuna and cheviot; some cut boxy, others in conservative three-quarter lengths. The lining, trimming and tailoring of these coats are perfection. Priced from..... **\$10 to \$15**

SUITS—The Rugby styles are destined to be more popular than ever this Spring. We are doing everything possible to please you in style, make up, and best of all—please you in price. Priced from..... **\$10 to \$16.50**

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All the advance styles for smart dressers, with every necessary element of style, and the qualities we offer never fail of satisfaction. Priced from..... **\$1.00 to \$3.00**

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PRICES—Orchestra and six rows Orchestra Circle, \$2.00; balance of Orchestra Circle, \$1.50; first four rows Balcony, \$1.50; next five rows Balcony, \$1.00; balance Balcony, 75c; Gallery 50c; Box seats, \$2.00. Seats now on sale.
Carriages at 11. Curtain at 8 o'clock. FREE LIST SUSPENDED.



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will judge a Plow by its good works. True worth and qualities are always first.

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Walking Plow,
Sulky Plow, Gang Plow,
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Seeder, Weeder.

At the Annual Plowing Contest Held at Wheatland, Ill., September 19, '03,

Cyrus I. Stark won the sweepstakes match with a Janesville Gang Plow and holds the medal and title of champion plowman of the world, all won with Janesville Plows. There were thousands of people present at the contest which has become an annual event and one in which entries are solicited from all over the country, the contest being open to the world at large. In Walking Plows the Janesville was first, third in the boys under 17 class on Riding Plows and second for boys under 15. It was a decisive victory for the Janesville Plows. There were twenty-three entries for the contests.

No other line of Plows sold in Wisconsin carries such good recommendations. You should own a Janesville Plow.

WISCONSIN CARRIAGES have the reputation of leading the van, on every point that is considered by the purchaser. The extensive line of this season's goods bears out this reputation.
FAMOUS WEBER WAGONS—The man who has worked with a Weber is its best exponent.
BUCKEYE AND OHIO DRILLS—Standard implements of absolute worth.
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KEMP MANURE SPREADERS—The old reliable farm labor sower—the machine that saves the farmers' muscles and back.
DEPIANCE STEEL ROLLERS—You have heard of their good works.

We are sure the purchasers of our goods last year will be customers again this season, and we also know that there are many other people who will investigate our claim for superiority in dealing. Investigate that is all.

PHILIP DOHONEY

Bower City Implement Co.

River and Pleasant Sts.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.**---Easter and Its Opportunities---**

The Atmosphere of Easter pervades the whole store, the Stock of New Spring Goods are most complete. In your Easter Outfitting you will do well to take a careful look through the many lines of New Season's Merchandise. You'll find every item right. You'll find prices very tempting. You'll find courtesy and prompt attention. In a word you'll find this store fortified at all points for the official opening of Spring business.

Easter in the Garment Room

Everything here is on dress parade, the new suits, new coats and new skirts. Not an unworthy offering in the whole collection. Note these specials.

Walking Skirts

Of these we show a very large line. We mention particularly the fine men-tailored skirts made of the same materials that are in men's fine trousers. We have them in gray and brown mixtures. Prices range from **\$10.00 to \$15.00**.

One Skirt of Gun Metal Gray, fine stripe effect, at **\$15.00**, is the same skirt that is selling in the city at \$20 to \$25. These skirts are particularly recommended for their fine tailoring.

Juvenile Skirts

made especially for small girls, can also fit fair sized misses. These we have in navy, brown and mixtures at **\$2.75, \$3, \$4 & \$5**.

Juvenile Suits

in Scotch mixtures for school girls, are something new. They are made with short skirts, and the sizes are smaller than in the regular misses line. Prices **\$10 to \$15**.

Spring Outer Wraps

For ladies' the Covert Jackets with strap seams, are quite the thing. Colors tan and black, **\$5 to \$22**.

In Silk Garments

For ladies and misses we have stylish coats in blue, black and pongee at **\$14 to \$25**. We also have the Misses' Silk Coats in pongee and black from **\$5 to \$9**.

For Children

A splendid line of jackets in blue, brown and Scotch mixtures, nicely trimmed, at **\$6 to \$12**.

SUITS

A large and complete line from **\$10 to \$45**. Black and colors, and styles enough to suit the most exacting. Our ready-to-wear garment department is a busy place, and a choicer assortment of garments that are made right and have the proper style to them cannot be found elsewhere in Southern Wisconsin.

Women's Silk Waists

The new season's first showing of these is certainly fine, and the prices very modest. We mention a few. Black China Silks, sizes 32 to 44, with tucked yoke, \$3.75. Black Taffeta, made with fine tucks, at \$2.00 to \$2.50. Black Peau de Soie, excellent waists at \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00. White Wash Silk, \$3.75, some with Tenneriffe Wheel Trimming at \$4.50, others with hand made drawnwork at \$5.00. A beauty made of white Peau de Soie with wide insertion, \$7.50. Champagne color in Peau de Soie and Wash Silk, genteel waists, at \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00. We have silk waists in evening shades in all the desirable colors. See them in our north store.

Strength of Pine Wood.
Calculation confirmed by experiment has shown that, weight for weight, pine wood is stronger than steel in both transverse and tensile strength. It is regarded as doubtful if any metal could be made into a hollow rod equalling it in weight. In structures of wood the weak points are always at the joints.

The Advice is All Right.
In a divinity essay written by an English schoolboy appeared the following passage: "So he sed unto Moses, Come forth; but he come fifth and lost the jobb. Morral, Gilt up urly."—New York Tribune.

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'Tis Easy when you
have on a pair of those

Stacy-Adams Shoes**Our Spring Exhibit**

Unfolds to Men, Women and Children
the Brightest and Best in Footwear.

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